2021 Fall House of Delegates Officials Committee Report



Officials Committee

The current Iowa Officials' Committee is comprised of the following:

Position	Name	Next election	
Athlete Rep	Alex Stone	2023	
Althete Rep	Audrey Repko	2023	
Chair	Phil Barnes	2022	
Vice Chair	Kirstin Oppel	2023	
Secretary	Stacey Voynov	2023	
Eastern Zone	Robert Fry	2023	
Western Zone	Art DInkin	2022	
Stroke and Turn	Jodie Stone	2022	

Current Number of Officials (mid-September 2021)

The following table summarizes the number of registered officials and level of certification for each position as of mid-September 2021.

Position	Apprentice	LSC	N2	N3	National Eval.
Stroke and Turn	5	152	17	33	
Admin Official	7	41	4	-	
Chief Judge	-	28	15	8	1xN3i, 1xN3f
Starter	3	67	10	9	
Deck Referee	2	42	11	8	1xN3f
Admin Referee	1	30	7	1	
Meet Refereee	-	22	-	-	
OW Judge	-	10	-	-	
OW Referee	-	6	-	-	
Total Officials	5	183	-	-	

LSC officials were accepted to work at a number of National Championship meets (Futures, Pro Series, Juniors, Open, Olympic Trials) throughout the country over the past 12 months. Besides sectionals and zones, Iowa officials worked in every position (Stroke and Turn, Chief Judge, Starter, Deck Referee, Admin Referee and Meet Referee) indicating the breadth of knowledge, experience and commitment to athletes present within our community.

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Officials Training

Clinic material has been completed for all positions excepting Open Water. The officials' website has been updated to incorporate the latest registration and certification requirements, online class dates and training materials. Online classes have been scheduled through the end of January.

Communication

The Officials Committee chair sends out an email to all registered Iowa officials at least monthly. The Officials Committee meets every 2 months with dates/times/agenda/minutes posted to the Officials' website. Iowa Officials meetings are held in conjunction with the 2 House of Delegates meetings each year with agendas and minutes posted to the Officials' website. The 2021-22 short course session meet list is also on the website with links to officials' signup pages incorporated as they become available.